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TO : Comptroller

DATE: 1 May 1953

FROM : Chief, Finance Division

25X1A SUBJECT: Advances made on behalf of [REDACTED]

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1. In reply to your request, the following sums were expended on behalf of [REDACTED]

| Date | Amount | Voucher No. | Authorization |
|------------|-------------|-------------|--|
| 10 Dec. 52 | \$25,000.00 | 21496 | Memorandums from Chief of Adm. DD/P-approved by Walter Bedell Smith and Walter Reid Wolf, dated 9 Oct and 22 Oct. 1952 respectively. |
| 5 Jan 53 | \$10,000.00 | 27792 | Memorandum from Chief of Adm. DD/P approved by Walter Reid Wolf, dated 2 Jan 1953. |
| 30 Jan 53 | \$25,000.00 | 29036 | Memorandum from Chief of Admin. DD/P. Approved by Walter Reid Wolf, dated 23 Jan 1953. |

2. In each of the forementioned authorizations which requested that the above funds be provided the WH Division Chief was the phrase..."for immediate use for essential clandestine operational purposes without further accounting..." (underlining supplied) The above advances were charged to expense, Directors Office allotment 1001-00-000, based on the above authorizations.

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3. On 16 April and 29 April 1953 emergency advances of \$1010.00 and 1000.00 respectively, were given to Chief, WH Division in connection with [REDACTED]. These advances were charged to Col. J. Caldwell King's advance account, pending a decision as to what type of accounting is to be rendered for these advances.

4. There is no project or allotment set up for [REDACTED]
It is our understanding that this is a cryptonym.

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instructed to follow through
Adm. Off. and/or King
Chief of Division

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